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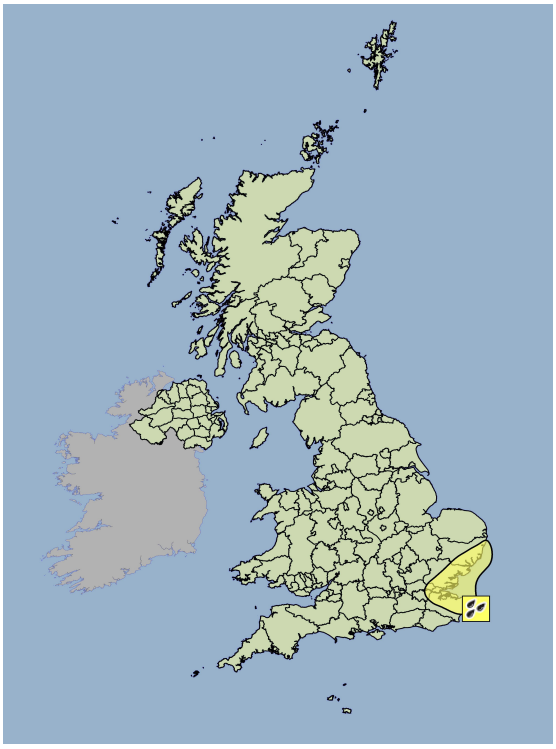

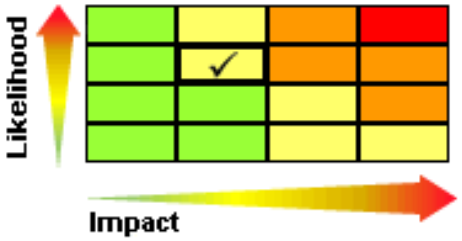

Chief Forecasters Assessment
A frontal band will move into southeast England today and become aligned with the northeasterly flow. This will lead to a spell of rain which is likely to last for around 24 hours, leading to 10-20mm quite widely. Embedded within this there is the likelihood of a narrow band in which pulses of heavier rain affect eastern Essex, the Thames Estuary (perhaps into the east of London) and north Kent. Here, over 30mm looks likely, with a risk that somewhere could receive over 50mm. There is some uncertainty over the extent of the larger rainfall totals, especially by Saturday, and the public are advised to stay in touch with the forecasts.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **14:00 on Fri, 11th Oct 2013** until **09:00 on Sat, 12th Oct 2013**

Outbreaks of rain will affect southeast England during Friday and overnight into Saturday. Some heavy bursts are likely, especially across eastern parts of Essex, north Kent and the Thames Estuary.

The public should be aware of the potential for some localised surface water flooding.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 11:16 on Fri, 11th Oct 2013

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